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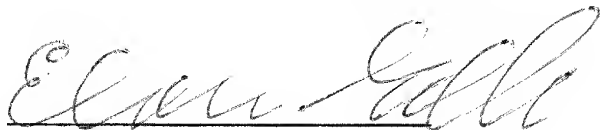
The initial paragraph in the specifications entitled "Related Application" has been deleted to eliminate the reference to application 10/231,871.

The reference to application 10/231,871 filed 28 August 2002 was a typographical error. Application 10/231,871 is directed to entirely different technology. This was intended to be a reference to application 10/231,783 filed 28 August 2002.

The above amendment eliminates the reference to application 10/231,871. Application 10/231,783 has been referenced in an IDS form filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Elmer W. Galbi", written over a horizontal line.

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